

## **GANG VIOLENCE SECTION**

### **CAL-GANG DATABASE PROGRAM**

#### **Program Description**

The Cal-Gang (CG) Database Project is an automated gang intelligence database system that provides intelligence information to assist local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies in order to solve gang related crimes. The system provides investigative, tactical, and strategic information to support gang units and police administrators throughout California.

#### **Eligibility**

The California State Department of Justice is the designated recipient of this award.

#### **Authorized By**

California State Legislature - FY 2008/09 State Budget Act

#### **Fund Source and Amount**

State General Fund - \$270,000

#### **Grant Award Period**

July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2009

#### **Next Competitive/Non Competitive Application Due Date**

Non Competitive - July 1, 2009

#### **Additional Program Information**

The CALGANG system allows local law enforcement agencies to maintain their own local database of information on local gangs and gang members, and to share that information to law enforcement agencies throughout the state through regional nodes connected to a central index. The California Department of Justice maintains the central index and continues to enhance its capabilities.

#### **Where Do I Get More Information?**

This program is administered by the Gang Violence Section of the Crime and Gangs Branch of the Law Enforcement and Victim Services Division of OES at (916) 327-5664.